

**Washington, DC** - Rep. Bruce Braley (D-Iowa) announced today the city of Davenport will receive a \$983,300 grant from the Department of Energy for energy efficiency and conservation projects. This funding is from the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program, which provides grants for projects that reduce emissions and improve energy efficiency across the country. The grant was awarded as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

"I'm pleased to announce more than \$983,000 to help create jobs and move Iowa towards a stronger energy-efficient future," Braley said. "During these tough economic times, grants like this will play a critical role in putting Iowans back to work, creating good-paying jobs that can't be outsourced and moving our country away from our addiction to foreign oil."

Activities eligible for EECBG funding include energy audits and building retrofits in the residential and commercial sector, the development and implementation of advanced building codes and inspections, and the creation of financial incentive programs for energy efficiency improvements.

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